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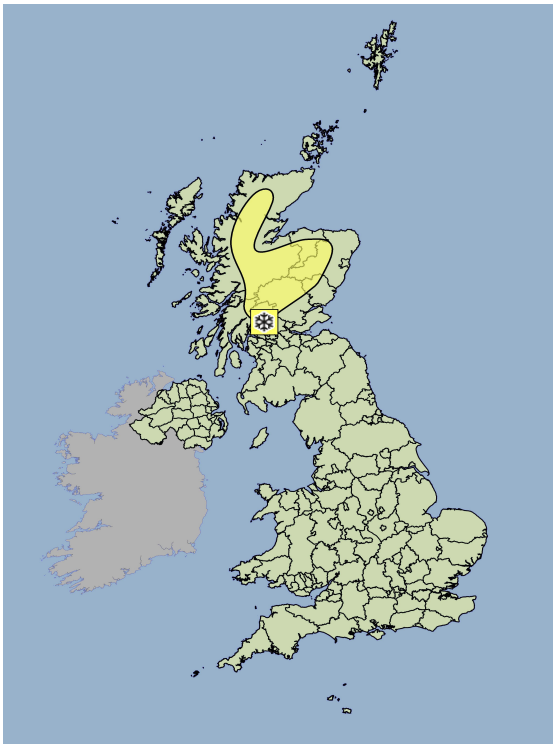

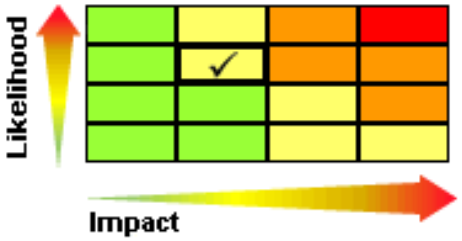

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A vigorous area of low pressure will continue to move northeast across the UK during Wednesday. The leading edge of the precipitation associated with this system will engage the cold air already established across Scotland with snow falling here. As the system moves northwards, less cold air arrives with the snow turning to rain for a time, although remaining as snow above 500-600 metres in Scotland. However, on Wednesday evening and into Thursday as the low system moves away eastwards colder air will again be pulled into Scotland allowing the precipitation to fall as snow once more.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **12:00 on Wed, 12th Feb 2014** until **10:00 on Thu, 13th Feb 2014**

Bands of rain, sleet and snow will affect central and northern Scotland during the rest of Wednesday and into Thursday morning. Snow levels will vary through the period, but there is a risk of 2-5 cm accumulating above 300 metres and a further 10-15 cm above 400-500 metres.

The public should be aware of the potential for some travel disruption and difficult driving conditions.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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